

# MIDLANDS UTILITY,

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June 14, 2006

Charles Terreni Chief Clerk/Administrator The Public Service Commission of South Carolina PO Drawer 11649 Columbia SC 29211

RE: Docket No. 2006-125-S

Contract Approval with City of Cayce

Dear Mr. Terreni:

Please find enclosed the original and one copy of the Proof of Publication from The State Newspaper and the Certificate of Service for the customer mailing for the above referenced docket.

Should you have any questions feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

MIDLANOS UTILITY, INC.

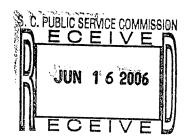
Keith G. Parnell, PE

encl.

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ORS w/encl.



# THE STATE-RECORD CO., INC. Columbia, South Carolina publisher of

# The State

# STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA COUNTY OF RICHLAND

Personally appeared before me, Peggy Lawrence, Advertising Sales Support Manager of THE STATE, and makes oath that the advertisement,

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was inserted in THE STATE, a daily newspaper of general circulation published in the City of Columbia, State and County aforesaid, in the issues of

June 8, 2006

Peggy Lawrence

Subscribed and sworn to before me

on this day

June 9, 2006

My commission expires March 10, 2013

**Notary Public** 

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MISSION OF SOUTH CAROLINA DOCKETING DEPARTMENT

## NOTICE OF

PILING
DOCKET NO. 2006-125-S
MIDLANDS UTILITY,
INC. – APPLICATION
FOR APPROVAL OF A
CONTRACT FOR THE
TRANSFER AND SALE
OF CERTAIN OF ITS
SEWERAGE COLLECTION SYSTEMS WITHIN
LEXINGTON COUNTY,
SOUTH CAROLINA TO
THE CITY OF CAYCE
MIGIANDS UTILITY, Inc. Midlands Utility, Inc. (Midlands) pursuant to 26 S.C. Code Ann. Regs. 103-504 and other applicable rules and regulations of the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (Commission) has filed an Appli-cation requesting the Commission to approve a contract with the City of Cayce for the sale and transfer of certain waste-water treatment facilities and sanitary sewer sys-tems in Lexington County. The transferred systems serve Bellemeade Subdivision, PITT Stop & Maggie Mays Restaurant, Charwood Subdivision, Sawgrass Hiltons, Rockford Place Subdivi-sion, Parkward Subdivision, Timberland Subdivision. Montclaire Subdivision, New Hope Subdivision, Westgate Subdivi-sion, Stonewood Subdivision, Darby Place Subdivision, Foxglen Şubdi-vision, Six Mile Creek Interceptor Phase I & II, Six Mile Creek Interceptor Phase III, Arborgate Subdivision, Mallard
Trace Subdivision, Harvest Glen (U.S. Highway
1 System), Spring Hill
Patio Homes (Pineridge
System) and Belmont
Estates Subdivision. Midlands has agreed to transfer certain waste-water treatment facilities and sanitary sewer sys-tems as fully set forth in the agreement which is attached as "Exhibit 1" in the Application filed of record constituting that certain Purchase Agreement for Transferred Systems between the City of Cayce, South Carolina and Midlands Utility, Inc. dated as of September 21, 2005. The transfer contemplated, after regulatory approvals, will be a final transfer and sale of the wastewater treatment wastewater treatment facilities and sanitary sewer systems and, according to the Application, the City of Cayce assumes liability attendant to the operation of the wastewater transcripts. the wastewater treatment facilities and sanitary sewer systems con-cerned herein. Morecon-Morecerned nerein. More-over, the Application con-templates that the sani-tary sewer treatment rates of Midlands' cus-tomers concerned will not be affected for a perod of one (1) year from the date of the transfer of the wastewater treatment facilities and sanitary sewer systems as the correspondence of Avery B. Wilkerson, Jr., Mayor of the City of Cayce, dated April 4, 2006, attached to the Applica-tion as "Exhibit 2" so

"A copy of the Application is on file in the offices of the Public Service Commission of South Carolina, 101 Executive Center Drive, Synergy Business Park, Columbia, South Carolina 29210, the Commission's website at H Y P E R L I N K "http://www.psc.sc.gov" www.psc.sc.gov and is available from Scott Elliott, Esquire, Elliott & Elliott, P.A. 721 Olive Streef, Columbia, South Carolina 29205.

A public hearing, if scheduled, will be held in Columbia, South Carolina In the offices of the Commission at the above address, for the purpose of receiving testimony and other evidence from all interested parties regarding this Application. The time and date of this hearing will be furnished to all interested parties at a later date. Any person who wishes

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ment at the address below, the Office of Regbelow, the Office of Heg-ulatory Staff, Post Office Box 11263, Columbia, South Carolina 29211 and Scott Elliott, Esquire, at the above address, on or before July 5, 2006. Please refer to Docket No. 2006-125-S. Any person who wishes to participate in this matter, as a Party of Record with the right of cross-examination, should file a Petition to Intervene in accordance with the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, on or before July 5, 2006, and indicate the amount of time required for his presentation. Please include an email address for receipt of future Commission correspondence in the Petition to Inter-vene. Please refer to Docket No. 2006-125-S. Any person who wishes to be notified of the hearing, but does not wish to present testimony or be a party of record, may do so by notifying the Dock-eting Department, in writ-ing, at the address below on or before July 5, 2006. Please refer to Docket No. 2006-125-S. PLEASE TAKE NOTICE: Any person who wishes to have his or her comments considered as part of the official record of this proceeding MUST present such comments, in person, to the Commission during the hearing. Persons seeking infor-mation about the Commission's Procedures should contact the Commission in Columbia at 803-896-5100. Public Service Commission of South Carolina Attn: Docketing Departs ment

## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

	I, Keith G. Parnell	, mailed with sufficient postage or
	hand delivered to all affected customers in	the attached Notice to Customers issued by the
	South Carolina Public Service in Docket N	No. <u>2006-125-S</u> , and the
	Notice was mailed or hand delivered by the	e date specified in the Order.
	This the <u>12th</u> day of <u>June</u>	By: Keith G. Parnell  Midlands Utility, Inc.
	The above named Applicant, Keith G. Parr	nell personally appeared before me this day and,
being f	irst duly sworn, says that the required Notic	e to Customers was mailed or hand delivered
to all a	ffected customers, as required by the Comm	hission Order dated 6/12/2006 in Docket
No	<u>2006-125-S</u>	·
	Witness my hand and notarial seal, this the	12 day of June 2006.
	·,	Hail Boluer Notary Public
		816 E. Main St. Lexengton, SC. 29072
(SEAL)	My Commission Expires:	//-/4-2010 Date

#### PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF SOUTH CAROLINA

### DOCKETING DEPARTMENT

#### NOTICE OF FILING

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